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Application Number	/
Filing Date	March 22, 2004
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**As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:**

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I believe I am the original and first inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

Process For The Production Of Backing Foils Provided On One Side With A Transparent Coating And An Image

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